

Comparisons of Job Characteristics

Focus Occupation: [Cooks, Fast Food \(35-2011\)](#)

Associated Occupation: [Cooks, Restaurant \(35-2014\)](#)

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| << | Focus occupation element is much lower |
| < | Focus occupation element is lower |
| 0 | Focus occupation element is at a similar level |
| > | Focus occupation element is at a higher level |
| >> | Focus occupation element is at a much higher level |

Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 77

Focus Occupation: Cooks, Fast Food (35-2011)

Associated Occupation: Cooks, Restaurant (35-2014)

| Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements | Average Rating, All Occupations | Associated Occupation's Rating | Focus Occupation's Rating | Evaluation of Focus Occupation |
|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Food Production | 2.1 | 10.7 | 12.3 | > Current knowledge level is likely sufficient |
| Production and Processing | 6.0 | 7.9 | 9.5 | > Current knowledge level is likely sufficient |

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 74

Focus Occupation: Cooks, Fast Food (35-2011)

Associated Occupation: Cooks, Restaurant (35-2014)

| Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements | Average Rating, All Occupations | Associated Occupation's Rating | Focus Occupation's Rating | Evaluation of Focus Occupation |
|---|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| Quality Control Analysis | 5.9 | 7.4 | 3.3 | << Extensive development of skills in this area may be required |
| Mathematics | 6.2 | 5.7 | 4.4 | < A higher skill level may be required |
| Management of Material Resources | 3.7 | 5.4 | 1.4 | << Extensive development of skills in this area may be required |

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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Abilities

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 65

Focus Occupation: Cooks, Fast Food (35-2011)

Associated Occupation: Cooks, Restaurant (35-2014)

| Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements | Average Rating, All Occupations | Associated Occupation's Rating | Focus Occupation's Rating | Evaluation of Focus Occupation | |
|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Oral Expression | 12.4 | 9.3 | 8.9 | 0 | Current ability level may be sufficient |
| Problem Sensitivity | 11.1 | 9.1 | 7.2 | < | Some improvement in abilities may be required |
| Manual Dexterity | 6.5 | 9.0 | 8.2 | 0 | Current ability level may be sufficient |
| Visual Color Discrimination | 6.4 | 8.8 | 2.4 | << | Extensive improvement in abilities may be required |
| Trunk Strength | 5.7 | 7.7 | 9.1 | > | Current ability level is likely sufficient |
| Wrist-Finger Speed | 3.2 | 5.9 | 3.6 | << | Extensive improvement in abilities may be required |

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 95

Focus Occupation: Cooks, Fast Food (35-2011)
Associated Occupation: Cooks, Restaurant (35-2014)

| Work Activities | Exclusivity of Activity |
|---|-------------------------|
| Bake breads, rolls, or other baked goods | 87 |
| Cook in quantity | 89 |
| Cook meals | 80 |
| Cut, trim, or clean meat, or carcasses | 80 |
| Follow recipes | 81 |
| Knead, shape, cut, or roll food products by hand | 84 |
| Measure or weigh ingredients for food preparation | 84 |
| Operate baking equipment | 85 |
| Operate cooking equipment | 87 |
| Operate food preparation equipment | 81 |
| Prepare beverages | 81 |
| Prepare specialty foods | 92 |
| Provide customer service | 14 |
| Read work order, instructions, formulas, or processing charts | 9 |
| Serve food or beverages | 70 |
| Understand government health, hotel or food service regulations | 68 |
| Use knives | 78 |
| Use knowledge of food handling rules | 71 |

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: 86

Focus Occupation: Cooks, Fast Food (35-2011)
Associated Occupation: Cooks, Restaurant (35-2014)

| Tools and Technologies | Exclusivity |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Computers | 1 |
| Cooking and warming equipment | 27 |
| Cookware and kitchen tools | 33 |
| Food preparation equipment | 24 |
| Industry specific software | 1 |

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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